

METHODIST

Centre Street Methodist, 217-225 North Centre Street. 9:30 a. m., Church School; 9:30 and 11 a. m., worship services, Holy Communion. Communion Meditation, "All Or Nothing At All," by the minister; 6:30 p. m., M.F.Y. meeting; 7:30 p. m., union service at Central Methodist Church.

Trinity Methodist, 122 Grand Avenue. Rev. C. Thomas Subock, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., Holy Communion; worship, 7:30 p. m.; Holy Communion.

First Methodist, Bedford Street. Rev. Everett W. Culp, pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m., Holy Communion; Youth and Adult Fellowships, 6:30 p. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m., Holy Communion.

Grace Methodist, Virginia Avenue near Second Street. Rev. Robert C. Nimmon, pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., Holy Communion service. Methodist Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m.

Kingsley Methodist, 242 Williams Street. Rev. Jacob H. Snyder, pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., Holy Communion. Junior Bible Study, 4 p. m. MYF, 6:30 p. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m., Union service at Central Church, the Rev. Carlton M. Harris preaching.

Cresaptown Methodist, Church School, 9:45 a. m., worship, 11 a. m., quarterly Holy Communion; Youth Fellowship, 6 p. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m., "The Ageless Quest of Wise Men." Rev. R. E. Bavender.

Fairview Avenue Methodist, 640 Fairview Avenue. Frank G. Wanek, pastor. Sunday School, 10:45 a. m.; worship, 9:30 a. m.

Melvin Methodist, Reynolds and Marion, Rev. Frank G. Wanek, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m.

Mapleside Methodist, First and Maple streets. Rev. Frank G. Wanek, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m.

Metropolitan A. M. E. Church, Decatur and Frederick streets. Rev. Charles E. Walden Sr., pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., sermon and Holy Communion.

McKendree Methodist, 223 North Centre Street. Rev. George T. C. Bell, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., Holy Communion.

Rawlings-Dawson Methodist, F. Glenn Creek, pastor. Rawlings: Worship, 10 a. m., Holy Communion; Church School, 11 a. m.; WSCS Study Course, 7 p. m.; Dawson: Church School, 10 a. m.; worship, 11:15 a. m., Holy Communion; MYF, 6:30 p. m.

Park Place Methodist, Bruce K. Price, pastor. Sunday Church School, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., sermon subject: "A New Year And An Old World." Family Night Covered Dish Fellowship Dinner, 5:30 p. m. in the church social room. Methodist Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p. m.

LaVale Methodist, W. W. Patterson, minister. 9:45 a. m., Sunday School; 11 a. m., worship, sermon topic, "The New Year and Hidden Treasure." 6:30 p. m., Youth Fellowship hour; 7:30 p. m., Bible Study hour.

Corriganville Methodist, Rev. B. F. Hartman, pastor. Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.; worship, 9:30 a. m., communion; MYF, 2 p. m., Ellerslie Methodist: Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; MYF, 6:45 p. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m., communion. Wilks Creek Chapel, Cooks Mills, Pa.: Sunday School, 10 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., communion service.

Calvary Methodist, 28 Knobley Street, Ridgeley, W. Va. Harold L. May, minister. Church School, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., "Are You Consecrated To The Unexpected?" Methodist Youth Fellowship, 6:45 p. m., evangelistic service, 7:30 p. m., "Religion Rolls Up Sleeves."

Union Grove Methodist, Charge, Louis L. Emerick, minister. Centenary: Sunday School, 10 a. m., Holy Communion, 11 a. m., Zion: Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; Holy Communion, 7:30 p. m., Pleasant Grove: Holy Communion, 10 a. m.; Sunday School, 11 a. m., Elliott: Holy Communion, 9:15 a. m.; Sunday School, 10 a. m.

Mt. Pleasant Methodist, Mt. Pleasant Road. Rev. Robert C. Nimmon, pastor. Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.; worship, 9:30 a. m., Holy Communion service.

Bedford Methodist Circuit, Rev. John S. Park, pastor. Mineral Springs, Route 3, Bedford, Pa. Holy Communion, 9:30 a. m.; Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.; Centerville: Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.; Holy Communion, 10:45 a. m., Bethel, North on Route 220: Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.; Holy Communion, 7:30 p. m.

Midland Methodist, Charge, Rev. Charles S. Reckley, minister. Midland: Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., Woodland: Sunday School, 10:45 a. m.; worship, 9:45 a. m., Shaft: Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m.

Oldtown Methodist, William Anderson, minister. Paradise: Worship, 9:45 a. m.; Church School, 10:45 a. m., Mt. Olive: Church School, 10 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., Mt. Taber: Church School, 9:50 a. m.; MYF, 7:30 p. m., Oliver's Grove: Church School, 10 a. m., Oldtown: Church School, 10 a. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m.

Mt. Savage Methodist, Rev. William C. Harpold, pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m., worship, 10:45 a. m., "The Meaning of Vows." Youth Fellowship, 6:45 p. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m., "Beginning Again."

Barton Methodist, Byron H. Keeseecker, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m., worship, 10:45 a. m., subject, "It Is Later Than You Think." (Series 2) M.Y.F. at 6:30 p. m.

OTHER CHURCHES

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Washington Street and Prospect Square, 11 a. m., Sunday School; 11 a. m., subject, "God," Golden Text: Psalms 77:13. Thy Way, O God, is in the sanctuary: who is so great a God as our God?

Cumberland Memorial, 417 North Mechanic Street. Rev. Charles Sheller, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., Children's Object Lesson, Young People's Bible Meeting; worship, 7:30 p. m., "Yesterday, Today, Tomorrow."

Pentecostal Holiness, 123 South Lee Street. Rev. R. L. Casle, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m.; Young People's meeting, 6:30 p. m.; worship, 7:45 p. m.

Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, 1715 Frederick Street. William T. Toepfer, minister. 9 a. m., assembly for field service; 3 p. m., public address by W. Toepfer, "Is Everlasting Life Only a Dream." 4:15 p. m., Watchtower study, subject: "Divine Loving Kindness and The Kingdom."—Isa. 16:5.

Church of Christ, 213 South Lee Street. Paul M. Catherman Jr., speaker. Bible School, 10 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., "God Calls Busy Men To Perform Great Tasks," evening speaker, John W. Mullin; worship, 7:30 p. m., "The Spirit of Christ." Apostolic Church in Jesus, 400 Homer Street. Rev. C. A. Wakefield, pastor. Sunday School, 10 a. m.; evangelistic service, 7:30 p. m.

Word Tabernacle Pentecostal Holiness, Lonaconing. Rev. Bennett Arthur, pastor. Sunday School, 10 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m.

Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, Lonaconing. J. M. Morton, presiding minister. All activities will take place in Odd Fellows Hall. Ministerial Street. Keyser: 12:30 p. m., assembly for field service; 3 p. m., address "Testing the Holy Trinity's Foundations," by K. H. Clary; 4:05 p. m., Watchtower study, "Divine Loving-Kindness and the Kingdom."—Isa. 16:5.

Artemas Union, Artemas, Pa. Sunday School, 10 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., John H. Buffenmyer, pastor.

First Church of God, Delaware Ave., Mapleside. Rev. Marlin J. King, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m., worship, 11 a. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

First Church of the Nazarene, 508 Oldtown Road. Rev. H. E. Heckert, pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m., worship, 10:45 a. m., Young People's service, 6:30 p. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m.

Bethel Church of the Nazarene, Bowman's Addition. Rev. Joseph L. Hooper, pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m., worship, 10:30 a. m., Young People's service, 6:30 p. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m., Evangelistic service.

The Church of the Nazarene, Moscow. Rev. Joseph J. Wetly, pastor. Sunday School, 10 a. m., worship, 11 a. m., Young people's service, 6:45 p. m., Evangelistic service, 7:30 p. m.

Oakland Church of the Nazarene, Rev. Marshall L. Brown, pastor. Sunday School, 10 a. m., worship, 11 a. m., Young People's service, 6:45 p. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m., Evangelistic service.

Church of the Nazarene, Wiley Ford, W. Va. Rev. A. L. Lepley, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m., worship, 11 a. m.; Nazarene Young Peoples Society, 6:45 p. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m.



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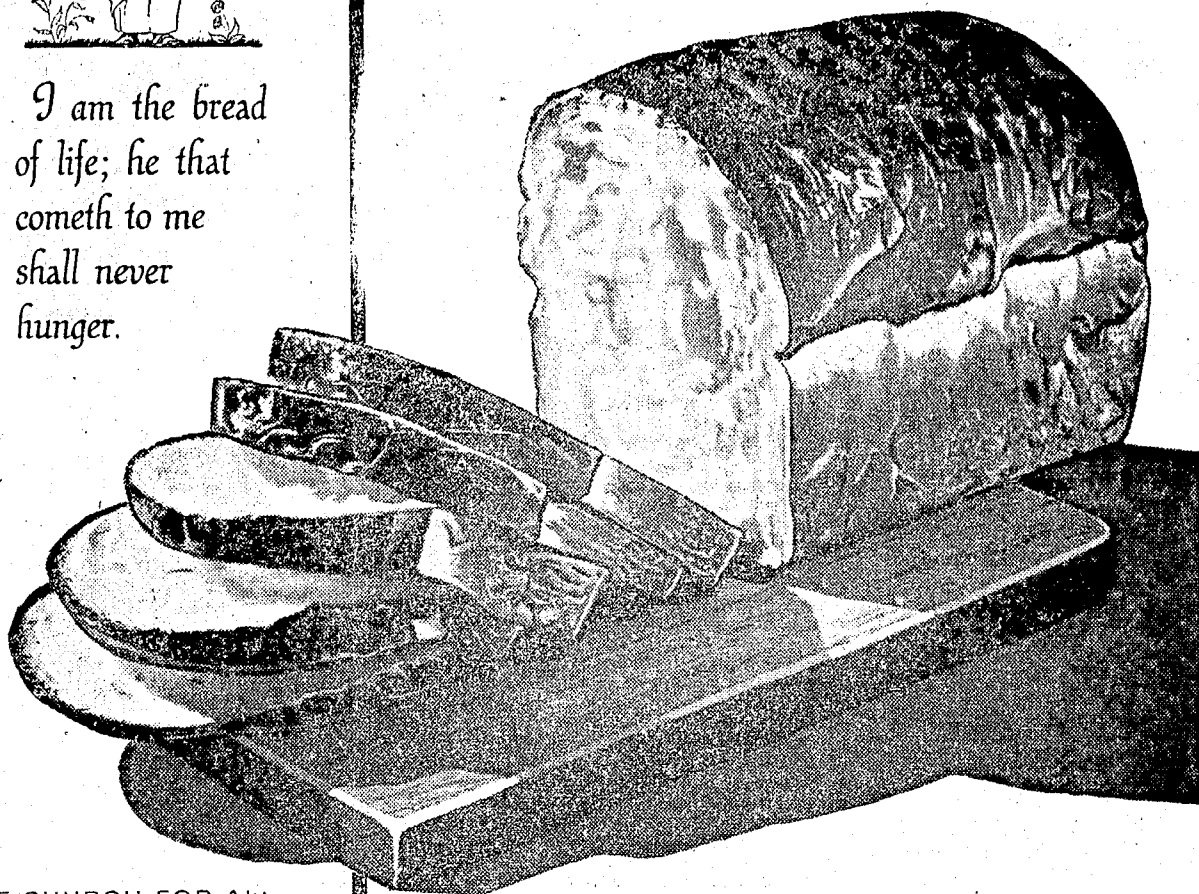
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The Church is the greatest factor on earth for the building of character and good citizenship. It is a storehouse of spiritual values. Without a strong Church, neither democracy nor civilization can survive. There are four sound reasons why every person should attend services regularly and support the Church. They are: (1) For his own sake. (2) For his children's sake. (3) For the sake of his community and nation. (4) For the sake of the Church itself, which needs his moral and material support. Plan to go to church regularly and read your Bible daily.

Day	Book	Chapter	Verses
Sunday	John	6	1-14
Monday	John	6	25-35
Tuesday	I Corinthians	10	16-17
Wednesday	I Corinthians	11	23-28
Thursday	II Corinthians	9	10-15
Friday	Matthew	26	26
Saturday	Acts	2	41-47



The Staff of Life



Have you tried to satisfy your appetite with a bit of candy or a hurried snack? The keen edge of hunger may leave—but only temporarily.

There is another hunger innate in each of us. It is a spiritual hunger, our desire to have protection and help from God. Sometimes we do not really recognize this need. We feel only a restlessness, a longing for something better, an unexplained loneliness.

We often try to satisfy this mysterious hunger with the sweets of pleasure, to cover it up with the hurry of many activities. But it can never be really satisfied until we know God as our Heavenly Father, His Son as our Saviour.

Jesus Christ said, "I am the bread of life; he that cometh to me shall never hunger."

In the Church we find this Christ who offers us the true bread from heaven, the bread which alone satisfies our spiritual hunger.

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CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

Living Stone Church of the Brethren, West Second and North Cedar Streets. Rev. Wayne J. Eberly, pastor. Sunday School 9:45 a. m.; worship 11 a. m., "Facing the Future Fearlessly." Worship 7:30 p. m.

Sunnyside Church of the Brethren, Owen G. Stultz, pastor. Sunday School 10 a. m., worship 11 a. m., "Philip of Bethsaida."

Knobley Church of the Brethren, Owen G. Stultz, pastor. Sunday School 6:30 p. m., worship 7:30 p. m., "Philip of Bethsaida."

Harness Run Church of the Brethren, Owen G. Stultz, pastor. Sunday School 10 a. m.

Danville Church of the Brethren, Eight miles South of Cresaptown on Route 220. Rev. D. W. Tusing, pastor. Sunday School 10 a. m., worship 11 a. m.

Glendale Church of the Brethren, Flintstone. John H. Buffenmyer, pastor. Sunday School 10 a. m., worship 7:30 p. m., "This Is The Church."

Wiley Ford Church of the Brethren, Wiley Ford, W. Va. Rev. Connell T. Chaney, pastor. Sunday School 10 a. m., worship 11 a. m., "The Forward Stride." Worship 7:30 p. m., "The Christian's Watchword" — "Go Forward."

Old Furnace Church of the Brethren, Six miles south of Cumberland on Route 28 at Furnace Acres. Rev. George H. Jeffrey, pastor. Sunday School 10 a. m., worship 11 a. m., "Seeking the Young Child." Worship 7:30 p. m., "Beginning the New Year With God."

UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Zion United Church of Christ, 405-07 North Mechanic Street. Sunday School 9:30 a. m., church service 10:45 a. m.

St. Matthew's United Church of Christ, Bowling Green. Rev. Richard W. Barley, pastor. Sunday School 9:45 a. m., church service 11 a. m., Youth Fellowship 7 p. m.

First United Church of Christ, Hyndman, Pa. John B. Zinn, pastor. Worship 9:30 a. m., "First Steps." Sacrament of Holy Communion.

Redeemer's United Church of Christ, Ellerslie. Rev. John B. Zinn, pastor. Worship 11 a. m., "First Steps." Sacrament of Holy Communion.

EPISCOPAL

Emmanuel Episcopal, 16 Washington Street. Rev. H. M. Richardson, rector. Rev. Robert L. Leather, assistant. 8 a. m., Holy Communion; 11 a. m., Holy Communion and Sermon by the rector. 11 a. m., Church School.

St. Philip's Episcopal, 9 South Smallwood Street. Rev. William J. Cox, vicar. 11:30 a. m., Celebration of the Holy Eucharist; sermon; Church School for children.

Holy Cross Episcopal, 16 Virginia Avenue. Rev. William J. Cox, vicar. 8 a. m., Holy Eucharist; 10 a. m., Choral Celebration of the Holy Eucharist; sermon; Church School for children.

Saint Peter's Episcopal, 77 East Main Street. Lonaconing. Rev. Leslie E. Schwindt, vicar. Second Sunday after Christmas, 8 a. m., Holy Communion, 10 a. m., Holy Communion and sermon, 10 a. m., church school. 11 a. m., coffee hour, parish hall.

Saint George's Episcopal, Mt. Savage. Rev. Lawrence Crawford Butler, rector. Second Sunday after Christmas, 7:30 a. m., Holy Communion; 9:30 a. m., Church School, 10:45 a. m., Sung Eucharist, 7 p. m., Cantata by the Senior Choir and the Choirsters of St. George.

St. John's Episcopal, Deer Park. Morning Prayer and sermon, family service 10 a. m.

KEYSER CHURCHES

Keyser Presbyterian, Main and Piedmont Sts., Rev. John MacLeod Jr., pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m., worship, 11 a. m., subject, "Into The Unknown." 6:30 p. m., Pioneers; 6:30 p. m., Senior High Fellowship.

McCoole Presbyterian, Queen St., McCoole. Rev. John D. MacLeod Jr., pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m., worship, 11 a. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m., subject, "Into The Unknown."

James Methodist, Church St., Keyser. Rev. Joseph T. Tisdale, pastor. Sunday School, 10 a. m., worship, 11 a. m., subject, "Every Knee Shall Bow." Holy Communion.

Walden Methodist, Water St., Piedmont. Rev. Joseph Tisdale, pastor. Sunday School, 10 a. m., worship, 7:30 p. m., subject, "Every Knee Shall Bow." Holy Communion. MYF 6 p. m.

LUTHERAN

St. Luke's Lutheran, Bedford and Columbia Streets. Rev. William R. Snyder, pastor. Sunday School 9:45 a. m., worship 8:30 and 11 a. m., Holy Communion, Junior and Senior Luther League 7 p. m., Confirmation Class 6 p. m.

St. Paul's Lutheran, Baltimore and Centre Streets. Rev. John F. Sammel, pastor; H. T. Bowers, D.D., pastor emeritus. Sunday School 9:45 a. m., worship 8:30 and 11 a. m., The Sacrament of Holy Communion at both services. Luther League 6:30 p. m.

Trinity Lutheran Church — Missouri Synod, Smith and North Centre Streets. Rev. Herbert W. Nommensen, pastor. Sunday School 9:25 a. m., worship 8 and 10:45 a. m., James 4: 13-17 "Planting the New Year without God."

St. John's Evangelical Lutheran, Fourth and Arch Streets. Rev. Russell E. Fink, pastor and Rev. Robert C. Huddle, assistant pastor. Sunday School 9:45 a. m., worship 8:30 and 11 a. m., "Facing the New Year." Senior Luther League 5 p. m.; Junior Luther League 6 p. m., at 812 Maryland Avenue. Worship 7:30 p. m., "Fountains and Broken Cisterns."

BAPTIST

First Baptist, 212 Bedford Street. Rev. Archie C. Preyette, pastor. Sunday School 9:45 a. m., worship 11 a. m., Training Union 6:30 p. m.; worship 7:30 p. m.

Grace Baptist, 213 Greene Street. Rev. W. Randolph Keefe, pastor. Sunday School 9:45 a. m., worship 11 a. m., Sermon: "I Need Jesus" Memorial of the Lord's Supper, 6:15 p. m., Training Union: worship 7:30 p. m., "Help The 9 In '59."

Second Baptist, Oldtown Road at Grand Avenue. Rev. Cornelius B. Davis, pastor. Sunday School 9:45 a. m., worship 11 a. m., "Press On Or Die" — The Lord's Supper, Training Union 6:45 p. m.; worship 8 p. m., "The Peacemakers... The Children of God."

Ebenezer Baptist, 211 Cumberland Street. Rev. Wm. Claydon, pastor. Sunday School 10 a. m., worship 11 a. m., B.Y.P.U. 6:30 p. m., worship 7:30 p. m., Holy Communion.

Bedford Road Baptist, Bedford and Mill Roads. Rev. J. C. Ledbetter, pastor. Sunday School 9:45 a. m., worship 11 a. m., "The Sin of Silence." Training

ing Unions 6:30 p. m.; worship 7:30 p. m., "The Secret of Contentment."

LaVale Baptist, 1124 National Highway, W. Carder, guest speaker. Sunday School 9:30 a. m., worship 10:45 a. m., "Mark of the Beast." B.T.U., 6:30 p. m.; worship 7:30 p. m.

Christ Memorial Baptist, Westernport. Rev. Hugh M. Maynard, pastor. Sunday School 9:45 a. m., "Putting God First." Training Union 6:45 p. m.; worship 7:45 p. m., "He Trusted In God."

Calvary Baptist, Cresaptown. Rev. Harold Altem, pastor. Sunday School 9:30 a. m., worship 10:30 a. m., "The Church Which Is At Cresaptown — The Temple of God." Teenagers and Preteens 6:30 p. m.; worship 7:30 p. m., "God's Message To The Gentle Nations."

ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Central Assembly, Johnson and Fayette streets. Rev. Frank J. Frallo, pastor. Wendel Cover, assistant. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m.; worship, 7:45 p. m.

Flintstone Assembly of God. Rev. Wendel Cover, pastor. Sunday School, 2 p. m.; worship, 3 p. m.

First Assembly, 21 Elder Street. Rev. Arthur Vespa, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m.

First Pentecostal, Lonaconing. Rev. Charles C. Fussell, pastor. Sunday School, 10 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m.

Trinity Assembly of God, Midlothian. Rev. James Tate, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m.

First Assembly, Westernport. Rev. E. W. Welford, pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m.

Assembly of God, Keyser. Rev. R. C. Lymburner, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m.; worship, 7:30 p. m.

Bedford Valley Assembly of God. Rev. R. V. McIntosh, pastor. Sunday School

Miller Signs Statement In Wife Beating

Mrs. Clara Miller Still Critical With Injuries Of Head

Albert Miller, 60-year-old local resident, has signed a statement admitting to the brutal assault of his estranged wife, Mrs. Clara Miller, 40, who remains in critical condition in Sacred Heart Hospital with numerous fractures of the skull.

State's Attorney James S. Getty said Miller in his statement admits to having beaten his wife with a railing which had been pulled from a stairway in the apartment house at 216 Decatur Street early on New Year's Day.

County Investigator Edwin R. Lilya today took statements concerning the case from a number of people, explaining that the investigation is still not concluded.

Miller, who is being held on an open charge pending the outcome of his wife's injuries, will be transferred from the City Jail to the county lockup some time today, Lilya stated.

Mrs. Miller has been unconscious since the attack, attaches explaining that she has numerous skull fractures and severe lacerations of the head, back and face.

The victim of the attack, who resides at the Decatur Street apartment with her six-year-old son, Robert R. Russell, was found by Mrs. Lucille Krampf, another resident of the apartment, lying in a pool of blood at the foot of the stairway to the second floor.

Miller was apprehended in the Decatur Street area shortly after the discovery of his wife's body. He gave his address as the Brooks Hotel, but is not a resident of that establishment, hotel officials claim.

City Police who conducted the preliminary investigation included Detective L. James E. Van, Detective George Furstberg, Sgt. E. Gordon Hite and Officers P. C. Jenkins and James Mason.

Walsh Named Cancer Unit Head Again

William Walsh, local attorney, was re-elected president of the Allegany County Chapter of the American Cancer Society for 1959.

Eugene T. Gunning, editor of the Sunday Times, was also re-elected vice president.

Other officers elected are Miss Margaret Smith RN, secretary, and Dr. Wayne W. Hill, treasurer.

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Board Plans Session With Deputy Group

The Board of Allegany County Commissioners has scheduled a meeting Tuesday at 9:30 a. m. in the Court House with sheriff's deputies to discuss matters in which the officers are interested. The board said the session will be open to the press.

The board has been critical in recent meetings on food purchasing methods at the County Jail.

Six recommendations for improving the boiler at the Allegany County Court House were submitted yesterday to the board by the Robinson Plumbing and Heating Company.

These suggestions were tabled by the county commissioners pending receipt of a report on boiler inspection.

Morris M. Brodsky, assistant comptroller of the State Roads Commission, submitted a letter to the county commissioners stating that the construction account for Allegany County had \$16,228.24 as of November 30. He also reported that Allegany County has been allocated \$97,065 in federal aid secondary funds in the fiscal year which ends June 30.

This communication was forwarded to Leslie J. Clark, county attorney.

John Wentling, who is building a home at the intersection of Bedford and Union Grove roads, asked the county to fill in a ditch along the Union Grove Road near that point. The matter was referred to County Roads Supervisor Harry T. Skelly.

To Continue Scene

The Nativity scene of the lawn of Emmanuel Episcopal Church will be continued until Tuesday, the Feast of the Epiphany.

Treasury Watchdog Promises Best Duty

(This is one of several stories concerning activities of the new Mayor and Council since it took office last July and is completing its first six months in office.)

Finance and Revenue Commissioner Lucile Roeder is also treasurer of the city and therefore custodian of all monies coming into the city treasury.

The greatest volume of revenue coming into her hands is from ad valorem tax on real estate and personal property—those funds which come from the pockets, so to speak, of every individual owning property within the boundaries of the municipality.

"This is money paid for the privilege of living or doing business in the city, so my first concern is to see that funds are wisely spent and that any idle funds are properly invested so as to produce additional revenue during the period when they are not needed to defray the cost of government."

Cites Adequate Spending

"As an administrative officer, my department is not one which employs a large number of people, such as those departments which have to do with the physical properties of the city or protective services. However, as a member of City Council and a legislative official, it is my duty to guide the council in respect to expenditure of city funds and in this respect, I have endeavored to do so to the best of my ability."

"It is my firm opinion that it is not always the least amount of money which is most wisely spent, but the amount which is adequate to provide for the protection of life and property for the general welfare of the people."

"In this inflationary period, the cost of government has risen in respect to the cost of wages and commodities, a thing over which the city official has little or no control. It has been proven statistically that at all the levels of government—federal, state and city—the smallest increase in revenue has come to the city government."

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Child First Bedford Area Road Victim

Catherine Fetters, ten, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fetters, RD, Mann's Choice, became the first 1959 highway fatality victim in Bedford County when she was killed after being thrown from a car that went out of control on icy Pennsylvania Route 31 near Shawnee Park last night.

The victim was a passenger in a car driven by Miss Catherine Herline, 27, of RD, Mann's Choice, which skidded on the ice-covered road, causing the front door of the car to open and throw the girl out of the vehicle on her head.

She was pronounced dead on arrival at Bedford Memorial Hospital, where the driver was admitted suffering from shock. The victim died from a fractured skull.

The accident victim's body is at the Mickle Funeral Home, Schellsburg.

Blood Unit At Amcelle

The Red Cross Blood Mobile will be at the Celanes' Corporation of America cafeteria Monday from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. to receive blood from employees.

These suggestions were tabled by the county commissioners pending receipt of a report on boiler inspection.

Morris M. Brodsky, assistant comptroller of the State Roads Commission, submitted a letter to the county commissioners stating that the construction account for Allegany County had \$16,228.24 as of November 30. He also reported that Allegany County has been allocated \$97,065 in federal aid secondary funds in the fiscal year which ends June 30.

This communication was forwarded to Leslie J. Clark, county attorney.

John Wentling, who is building a home at the intersection of Bedford and Union Grove roads, asked the county to fill in a ditch along the Union Grove Road near that point. The matter was referred to County Roads Supervisor Harry T. Skelly.

To Continue Scene

The Nativity scene of the lawn of Emmanuel Episcopal Church will be continued until Tuesday, the Feast of the Epiphany.

Labor Group Asks Support Of Program

County Delegation Hears Proposals By AFL-CIO Unit

The Western Maryland Central Labor Council, AFL-CIO, last night asked Allegany County legislators to support a broad legislative program in the General Assembly which opens next Wednesday in Annapolis.

It includes proposals for major changes in workmen's compensation, a \$1 minimum wage, prevailing wages on state contracts, 39 weeks of unemployment benefits, civil rights and the adoption of a graduated income tax to finance the rising cost of state government.

Stanley Zorick, a member of Local 26, Rubber Workers Union, served as spokesman for the council, which represents some 22 labor unions of the county.

Also present at the legislative hearing were F. Patrick Allen, council president; Joseph V. Burke, area COPE director; Roy Craze, representing Local 1874, Textile Workers Union, and Charles Carey of Local 122-C, Sheet Metal Workers.

The proposals were presented before Delegates Fred B. Driscoll, Lester B. Reed, William Walsh and Thomas F. Conlon Jr., and State Senator Charles M. See.

Want Benefits Altered

Eight changes in the Maryland Workmen's Compensation law were asked. They are designed to bring benefits up to a level near the income brackets of the injured worker.

For example, the AFL-CIO program proposes that in cases of permanent disability, two-thirds of a worker's salary be paid for life, but not less than \$18 a week unless his pay is less. In that case, full wages would be paid. The present state maximum is \$20,000.

The unemployment compensation proposals also call for the development of a rehabilitation program by insurance companies and industry and would extend the time for filing a claim from 18 months to three years.

Del. Driscoll pointed out that the rehabilitation plan might conflict with the present state program.

"The AFL-CIO also seeks to make permanent the present extension of 13 weeks of unemployment compensation, for a total of 39, to which unemployed would be entitled in each benefit year."

It also asks that a labor dispute be defined as a strike or work stoppage and that workers laid off before a strike be eligible for unemployment benefits.

State Wage Law

The adoption of a state minimum wage law of \$1 an hour was also proposed. There is no present state minimum.

A bill calling for a prevailing rate on wage on all state contracts will be introduced, Zorick said.

Two civil rights bills will be introduced. One will deal with equal employment opportunities regardless of race, creed, color or national origin, and the other would outlaw discrimination in public places and accommodations.

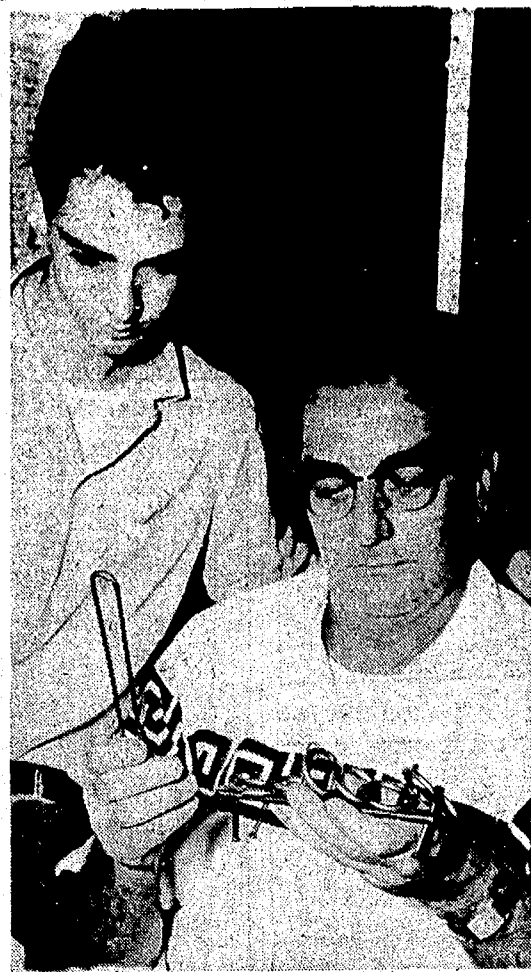
The AFL-CIO will propose that the legislature set up committees to recommend a program to correct faulty weight and measure practices and a study committee on health and sanitation.

A state graduated income tax, Zorick said, will be introduced to meet the increasing costs of state services.

Similar tax structures, based on ability to pay, have been adopted by 27 states and the District of Columbia, the labor delegates said.

Zorick said the plan calls for a base tax of 2 per cent, less deductions, from zero to \$5,000; three

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INTRICATE PUZZLE—This puzzle, over 100 years old, is possessed by a Cumberland man and it defies solution. At left, Lee Duvall, 809 Sunbury Avenue, is shown starting to work the ring device made by a now-obscure blacksmith at the eastern end of the C&O Canal in Georgetown. At right, Duvall's son, Frank L. Duvall, holds the puzzle after it has been completed. Persons have tried to work it after being shown by the Duvalls, but have to give up due to its complexity. The device was brought to this city many years ago by the late Charles Duvall, grandfather of Lee Duvall.

Ryan Slated For Liquor Board Post

The third of the Democratic Party's major green bag appointments after the November election sweep will be that of a member of the Allegany County Board of Alcoholic Beverage License Commissioners.

And that, according to sources from the county's Democratic Party State Central Committee, will be Edward J. Ryan, Frostburg, prominent Allegany County attorney.

He will succeed Estel C. Kelley, delegate-elect who has resigned. Orndorff First

Yesterday's naming of William B. Orndorff, as county tax collector, was the second of the party's major appointments. Leslie J. Clark, as county attorney, was the initial one.

Kelley submitted his liquor board resignation, effective December 31, at midnight, in a letter mailed to Governor McKeldin Wednesday morning.

Kelley resigned from the House of Delegates in the spring of 1957 to accept a six-year appointment on the Board of Alcoholic Beverages License Commissioners running until the first Monday in May 1963.

Under the terms of Chapter 176 of the 1953 Acts of the General Assembly, which was passed as Senate Bill 276, two members of the Board of Alcoholic Beverages License Commissioners must be members of that political party which at the last preceding general election in Allegany County polled the greatest number of votes in the aggregate for the several offices of county commissioners.

The Democrats made an upset victory last month when Democrats John T. Mason and John J. Rowan were elected county commissioners.

The State Central Committee has recommended the appointment of Ryan to the board. Presumably, he will be appointed either by Governor McKeldin or Governor-elect J. Millard Tawes, who will be inaugurated Wednesday, January 14. There is no particular urgency in filling the position. After January 14, the next meeting of the liquor board will be Tuesday, January 20.

Other members of the liquor board are Stanley Hamilton, Republican, whose term expires the first Monday in May 1959, and Howard Vandegriff, Democrat, whose term continues until May 1961.

Tree Pickup Set

Residents of nearby Mineral County who are customers of the Ackerman garbage service are being reminded that discarded Christmas trees will be picked up along the route on Tuesday.

Two trucks will be utilized to pick up trees in Carpenter's Addition, Wiley Ford, Pattersons Creek and Fort Ashby.

Four Generations Keep Rare Puzzle

By C. A. LANCASTER
Evening Times Staff Writer

An intricate ring puzzle "born" in the shop of a C&O Canal blacksmith at Georgetown has been passed down for four generations in a Cumberland family.

Lee Duvall, 809 Sunbury Avenue, an instrument technician at Kelly-Springfield Tire Company's plant here, is the current possessor of the puzzle which is most difficult to work.

From him it will go to his son, Frank L. Duvall, a student at LaSalle High School.

The puzzle is constructed of seven solid rings, each attached to a piece of flat iron by pins which slide up and down through the metal.

Rings Are Attached

The object is to get an elongated solid piece of metal resembling a closed safety pin through the rings.

The difficulty comes from the fact that each of the rings is attached solidly to the pins that move up and down in the flat metal bar.

Even though shown eight or ten times how to work it, most persons have to give up in frustration after continuous and arduous attempts.

The puzzle had its beginning in the shop of a blacksmith at the eastern end of the C&O Canal in Georgetown.

Grandfather Settled Here

There, the unknown mechanic decided to probably utilize his spare time between shoeing the mules that hauled the canal boats by manufacturing this brain-twisting device.

The grandfather of Lee Duvall, the late Charles H. Duvall, was born in Virginia and went to work in his earlier days as a mule driver on the canal.

He finally settled down in Cumberland. Sometime during his days on the canal he ran into the Georgetown blacksmith and became the possessor of the puzzle.

He later handed it down to his son, Frank C. Duvall, 811 Sunbury Avenue, who gave it to his son, Lee.

Woman Dies In Blaze

SOMERSET — Miss Magdalene Carey, 35, died of suffocation in a fire that struck her Felgar Road home late Thursday night. She was alone in the house when the fire was discovered.

Three firemen were injured when fighting the blaze in the frame structure, when the 75 foot ladder on an aerial ladder truck collapsed.

Lester Mellot, 31, suffered a leg injury. Merle Heiple was treated for injuries and released, and Clair Walker, 31, was also treated for injuries and released. Heiple was admitted to Somerset Hospital.

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Broken Rail Caused B&O Train Wreck

Baltimore and Ohio Railroad wreck crews from the Cumberland Division will be busy until this evening clearing up the wreckage of a freight train at Newburg near Kingwood on New Year's Day.

A division spokesman said in Cumberland today that a broken rail was the cause of derailment of 33 loaded westbound cars and a Diesel unit.

The power unit overturned and two other Diesel engines left the rails. About a half dozen box cars went part way down a 45-foot embankment and were badly damaged.

All tracks are clear at the point of the wreck. Damage to the equipment and cargo has not been completely tabulated.

Oddly enough, a box car loaded with 580 cases of Scotch whisky had only 21 damaged cases.

Archie Sinclair, a mortician in Newburg for 35 years, made it clear today that he is still hale and hearty. And his heart is fine, he told the UPI.

Sinclair was erroneously reported to have suffered a heart attack when he went to the wreck scene Thursday.

Sinclair explained that he was in good health, and a doctor examined him yesterday to prove that he has no heart trouble. He went to the wreck scene in the role of a volunteer fireman to help put out a small electrical blaze.

Atom Subs Give Less Radiation Than An X-Ray

Are atomic submarines dangerous to their crews?

James C. G. Conniff, a noted science writer, says, "One of the radiation checks on the U.S.S. Seawolf is to pin a film badge on the man who works nearest the atomic submarine's reactor. When this man took his annual Navy chest X-ray, he received 1,700 milliroentgens. Yet, this same man, in an entire year near the Seawolf reactor, got a maximum dosage of 550 milliroentgens."

This is one of several misconceptions about atomic submarines that Conniff clears up in an article appearing tomorrow in Family Weekly magazine, to be distributed with your Cumberland Sunday Times. Conniff describes a visit he made to the Seawolf shortly after it emerged from its recent record-breaking 60-day underwater voyage.

Also in Family Weekly is a picture feature on the rising popularity of small dogs. A four-color photo of a toy fox terrier is on the cover of this issue.

Regular features include letters of human interest from readers, quips and quotes of humor, and the Junior Treasure chest of games and fun for children.

Marylanders Are Paying More Taxes

Sales, State Income, Social Security Go Up

The old adage says the only sure things in this life are death and taxes, and it is a dead-certain fact that everyone working will be paying more taxes in 1959.

First of all, the new Maryland sales tax will affect almost everybody who makes purchases, unless the items cost only up to 50 cents.

The Retail Sales Tax Division shows there won't be any tax on purchases up to that amount, but that two cents are being assessed on items costing between 51 and 66 cents, and three cents is due on sales between 67 cents and a dollar.

Fewer Refunds Slated

The state comptroller's office also points out that the withholding tax on wages was increased last year, and that persons who file state income forms will have to pay one per cent more on the wages they earned during the first six months of 1959.

The withholding tax was increased from two to three per cent, it was explained, but employers were not compelled to withhold the additional one per cent until last July 1. So tax filers who look forward to receiving refunds face the prospect of receiving none at all or else a smaller amount than anticipated.

Another tax increase is Social Security deductions. Effective as of the first of the year, they increase from 4 1/2 per cent to 4 3/4 per cent.

No Jam In Sales

This will mean only a few cents less in the pay checks of most workers, but a more noticeable effect for some involves the change in the maximum annual amount from which Social Security is deducted. The maximum amount changes from \$4,200 to \$4,800, meaning that another \$600 is taxable for Social Security.

The forthcoming hike in the state sales tax has had little effect on business locally, either through sales featuring the lower tax now in effect, or in persons lining up in time to save a cent on a dollar.

It is believed, however, that some people have taken advantage of the plan to make purchases of large appliances or automobiles. The tax on an automobile, it was pointed out, can be equal to the amount of gasoline to run a new car for the first month or so.

The three per cent tax will proceed normally on all larger sums. As an example, four cents tax will be due on amounts between \$1.01 and \$1.33, five cents on amount, from \$1.34 to \$1.66, and six cents on sums from \$1.67 to \$2.

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Man Draws Year Term On Auto Charges

A Frostburg man was sentenced to a year in the House of Correction at a hearing this morning before Trial Magistrate Fred Crowe, Frostburg, on charges of unauthorized use of a motor vehicle and driving on a revoked license.

The man, David William Preston, 21, pleaded guilty to both charges, which were preferred by Trooper Carlton M. Lewis after he apprehended Preston at 10 p. m. yesterday while driving a stolen car on U. S. Route 40 near Lion Spring.

Trooper Lewis said Preston was operating a 1953 model car which had been reported stolen by Clarence Raley of Frostburg. Submitted as evidence in the case was a driving record which revealed Preston had several prior convictions on both driving on a revoked license and unauthorized use of vehicles.

Magistrate Crowe imposed six-month sentences on each count and ruled that they should be served consecutively.

Area Native Dies In Crash Of Airplane

Clair Barron, 27-year-old native of Somerset, Pa., was killed Wednesday in the crash of a light plane in the ocean off Fort Lauderdale beach in Florida.

Also killed in the crash with Barron, a flying instructor, was Len Jones, 24, of Miami.

Born in Somerset, Barron was a son of Ira R. Barron, Somerset, and the late Anna (Baltzer) Barron. He enlisted in the Army after graduating from Somerset High School in 1948 and served in the Korean fighting.

After his return to civilian life, Barron attended a flying school in Miami, later serving as an instructor. He also had been a pilot for Eastern Airlines for more than a year.

Surviving, besides his father, is a brother, Elhan Barron, Bedford.

The body will be returned to Somerset for burial.

Crafts Will Meet

The Building and Construction Trades Council will meet Tuesday at 8 p. m. in the Allegany Labor Temple.